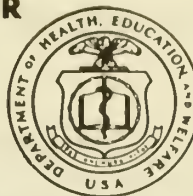


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EPIDEMIOLOGICAL NOTE

RABIES IN ANIMALS

This week 95 cases of rabies in animals were reported. This is almost identical to the number of cases reported during the corresponding week last year and the median for 1960-64. However, the 1965 cumulative total of 1,946 cases represents a substantial increase above the 1960-64 median cumulative total of 1,591. Approximately one quarter of the cases reported this year are from Tennessee, and a special report on the rabies epizootic in that State is included in this issue.

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Table 1. CASES OF SPECIFIED NOTIFIABLE DISEASES: UNITED STATES
(Cumulative totals include revised and delayed reports through previous weeks)

DISEASE	19th WEEK ENDED		MEDIAN 1960-1964	CUMULATIVE, FIRST 19 WEEKS		
	MAY 15, 1965	MAY 9, 1964		1965	1964	MEDIAN 1960-1964
Aseptic meningitis	26	22	22	528	515	464
Brucellosis	4	5	10	79	139	140
Diphtheria	—	14	9	74	88	183
Encephalitis, primary infectious ..	32	43	---	571	621	---
Encephalitis, post-infectious ..	18	30	---	289	323	---
Hepatitis, infectious including serum hepatitis	607	769	890	14,274	16,925	18,852
Measles	8,944	28,661	20,763	181,837	310,969	263,971
Meningococcal infections	79	56	55	1,603	1,249	986
Poliomyelitis, Total	—	1	9	8	25	115
Paralytic	—	1	5	7	20	84
Nonparalytic	—	—	---	1	4	---
Unspecified	—	—	---	—	1	---
Streptococcal Sore Throat and Scarlet fever	7,678	9,531	7,389	201,975	202,790	173,601
Tetanus	4	7	---	73	75	---
Tularemia	5	5	---	67	88	---
Typhoid fever	11	7	7	123	119	146
Rabies in Animals	95	97	96	1,946	1,728	1,591

Table 2. NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

	Cum.		Cum.
Anthrax:	5	Rabies in Man:	—
Botulism:	3	Smallpox:	—
Leptospirosis:	11	Trichinosis:	52
Malaria: Pa.-1	19	Typhus—	
Plague:	—	Murine:	7
Psittacosis: Calif.-2	13	Rky. Mt. Spotted: Va.-2, Okla.-1	11

RABIES IN ANIMALS - Tennessee

During 1964, an epizootic of rabies, primarily among foxes, was prevalent in 5 southeastern States (See MMWR, Vol. 14, No. 6). The central and eastern counties of Tennessee were severely affected. (See Figure)

Tennessee led the nation in total number of animal rabies cases during 1964 with the majority of these cases being foxes. The epizootic in Tennessee has continued through the first 4 months of 1965. Tennessee reported a total of 353 cases during the first quarter of 1965 and 239 (68 percent) of these were in foxes (See table). The cases in Tennessee account for approximately one quarter of the total cases in the nation since the beginning of the year.

(Reported by Dr. C.B. Tucker, Director, Division of Preventable Diseases, Tennessee Department of Public Health.)

ANIMAL	1965	
	JANUARY - MARCH	APRIL
FOX	239	45
CATTLE	45	12
SKUNK	32	12
DOG	19	6
CAT	7	4
HORSE	4	1
SWINE	2	2
GOAT	2	-
WILDCAT	2	1
OPOSSUM	1	-
TOTAL	353	83

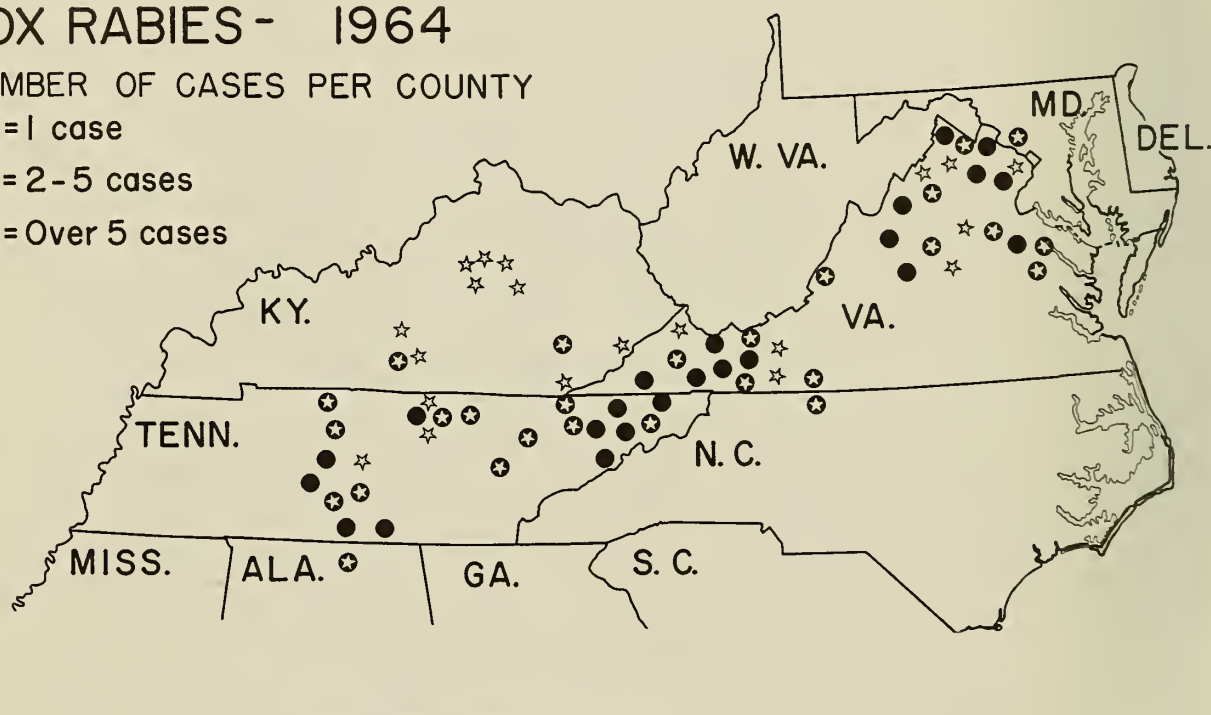
FOX RABIES - 1964

NUMBER OF CASES PER COUNTY

☆ = 1 case

★ = 2-5 cases

● = Over 5 cases



EPIDEMIOLOGICAL REPORTS

SALMONELLOSIS - Colorado

A major epidemic of *Salmonella san diego* gastroenteritis associated with a banquet has been reported by the Colorado State Department of Health.

On December 10, 1964, approximately 1,000 people attended an annual Christmas dinner at which time a menu of turkey and dressing, potatoes, gravy, green beans,

cranberries, and pumpkin pie was served. Within 24 hours following the meal a high proportion of the people attending the banquet became ill with chills, fever, abdominal cramps, headache, vomiting, and diarrhea. Ten persons were hospitalized, but no deaths occurred. Stool cultures were obtained from 46 persons who attended the

dinner and 29 of these were positive for *Salmonella san diego*. Although no exact case count was obtained, it was estimated that approximately 850 of the 1,000 persons attending the banquet became ill.

Food histories were obtained from 72 persons who were present at the dinner and the results of these questionnaires suggested turkey as the vehicle of infection. None of the roast turkey was available for culture.

Of 9 people working in the kitchen, only 5 were associated with handling and serving food. One of these, the chef, had experienced gastroenteritis 5 days prior to the banquet. None of the other kitchen employees had had a recent illness. All kitchen workers except for the chef consumed the turkey dinner and 4 of these became ill. *Salmonella san diego* was isolated from all 8 kitchen workers who submitted a stool culture, including the chef who did not eat a turkey dinner.

Twelve 35-pound turkeys had been served at the banquet. These turkeys were removed from the freezer 3 days prior to the banquet and placed under running water to thaw. The following morning they were removed

from their packages, at which time the interiors of the birds were still frozen. The birds were then cooked for 7 to 8 hours, an insufficient length of time based on the need for 15 to 20 minutes cooking per pound of meat. After cooking, the birds remained at room temperature until they were served the following evening. The turkeys were sliced as needed during the banquet. As the deeper meat was reached, it was apparent to the chef that these areas were not thoroughly cooked and the partially carved birds were then placed back in the ovens for an unknown period of time. The re-cooking procedure was not totally effective since some who were interviewed revealed that their portions were under-cooked.

The investigators concluded that several turkeys were probably endogenously contaminated and that insufficient cooking and the time available for incubation allowed for multiplication of the organism. This resulted in a large inoculum and thus, a high attack rate.

(Reported by C.S. Molloyhan, M.D., Director of Epidemiology, Colorado State Department of Health, and an EIS Officer.)

REPORTED CASES OF POST-INFECTIOUS AND POST-IMMUNIZATION
ENCEPHALITIS, EIGHT WEEK PERIOD ENDING 4/24/65

State	Mumps	Chickenpox	Measles	Rubella	Herpes Simplex	Pertussis	Influenza	Post-Immunization	
								Rabies	Vaccinia
Arkansas .....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
California	32	4	13	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Connecticut .....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Florida	11	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hawaii .....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Illinois	1	2	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Iowa	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Michigan	1	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Montana	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Hampshire	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New York, Upstate ...	2	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Pennsylvania	6	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Rhode Island	5	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Texas	12	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Utah	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Virginia	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington	5	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
U.S. Total	81	20	26	2	1	0	2	0	3
U.S. Cumulative Total (weeks 1-16)									
1965*	140	40	40	6	2	0	2	0	3
1964**	150	17	51	8	1	1	2	0	0

*Includes revised and delayed reports

**Corresponding period in 1964

(States not reporting a case not listed)

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FOR WEEKS ENDED
MAY 15, 1965 AND MAY 9, 1964 (19th WEEK)

Area	Aseptic Meningitis		Encephalitis		Poliomyelitis						Diphtheria	
			Primary	Post-Inf.	Total Cases			Paralytic				Cum.
	1965	1964			1965	1965	1964	1965	1965	1964			1965	1965
UNITED STATES...	26	22	32	18	-	8	25	-	7	20	-	74
NEW ENGLAND.....	1	-	2	3	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1
Maine.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
New Hampshire.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vermont.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts.....	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Rhode Island.....	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Connecticut.....	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	4	3	9	1	-	1	4	-	-	4	-	4
New York City.....	1	-	6	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	2
New York, Up-State.....	1	2	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-
New Jersey.....	1	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Pennsylvania.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
EAST NORTH CENTRAL...	-	4	11	2	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	3
Ohio.....	-	1	8	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	1
Indiana.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Illinois.....	-	2	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Michigan.....	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WEST NORTH CENTRAL...	2	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	18
Minnesota.....	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	7
Iowa.....	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Missouri.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
North Dakota.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Dakota.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Nebraska.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Kansas.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	6	-	-	1	-	-	11	-	-	8	-	15
Delaware.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maryland.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dist. of Columbia..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Virginia.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Virginia.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
North Carolina.....	2	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	2	-	1
South Carolina.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	8
Florida.....	3	-	-	1	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	3
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	10
Kentucky.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Alabama.....	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	9
Mississippi.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...	3	4	-	2	-	2	1	-	2	1	-	18
Arkansas.....	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Louisiana.....	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Oklahoma.....	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Texas.....	3	1	-	1	-	2	1	-	2	1	-	15
MOUNTAIN.....	-	1	2	-	-	3	2	-	3	1	-	-
Montana.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colorado.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
New Mexico.....	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Arizona.....	-	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
Utah.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nevada.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PACIFIC.....	10	8	6	9	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	5
Washington.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oregon.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
California.....	9	8	4	9	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	4
Alaska.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Area	Brucel- losis	Infectious Hepatitis including Serum Hepatitis					Meningococcal Infections			Tetanus	
		Total incl. unk.	Under 20 years	20 years and over	Cumulative Totals		1965	Cumulative		1965	Cum.
		1965	1965	1965	1965	1964		1965	1964		1965
UNITED STATES...	4	607	288	272	14,274	16,925	79	1603	1249	4	73
NEW ENGLAND.....	-	43	18	21	871	1778	3	80	32	-	4
Maine.....	-	6	3	2	185	615	-	9	3	-	-
New Hampshire.....	-	3	2	-	74	134	-	5	-	-	1
Vermont.....	-	3	1	1	42	222	-	2	1	-	-
Massachusetts.....	-	20	8	11	328	345	-	28	13	-	3
Rhode Island.....	-	7	3	4	114	86	-	11	2	-	-
Connecticut.....	-	4	1	3	128	376	3	25	13	-	-
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	-	109	40	69	2460	3857	12	226	142	-	4
New York City.....	-	19	2	17	446	552	4	35	19	-	-
New York, Up-State.....	-	43	22	21	1049	1722	1	57	42	-	2
New Jersey.....	-	23	8	15	404	709	3	67	48	-	-
Pennsylvania.....	-	24	8	16	561	874	4	67	33	-	2
EAST NORTH CENTRAL...	1	113	55	48	2752	2595	12	192	182	-	5
Ohio.....	-	27	13	12	825	679	3	56	51	-	1
Indiana.....	-	16	10	6	223	219	2	27	31	-	3
Illinois.....	-	19	5	11	534	435	5	51	41	-	1
Michigan.....	-	38	23	15	1008	1082	1	33	43	-	-
Wisconsin.....	1	13	4	4	162	180	1	25	16	-	-
WEST NORTH CENTRAL...	1	34	17	16	975	973	3	86	70	-	3
Minnesota.....	-	1	-	1	84	85	1	18	14	-	2
Iowa.....	1	9	2	7	389	143	1	4	3	-	-
Missouri.....	-	13	10	2	184	247	1	40	39	-	1
North Dakota.....	-	-	-	-	12	38	-	4	5	-	-
South Dakota.....	-	2	1	1	15	97	-	2	-	-	-
Nebraska.....	-	2	1	1	27	20	-	9	4	-	-
Kansas.....	-	7	3	4	264	343	-	9	5	-	-
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	-	41	22	18	1457	1614	17	320	259	-	22
Delaware.....	-	5	5	-	56	35	1	4	3	-	-
Maryland.....	-	6	-	6	287	317	1	32	18	-	1
Dist. of Columbia..	-	-	-	-	18	27	-	4	8	-	-
Virginia.....	-	8	3	5	371	236	5	37	28	-	4
West Virginia.....	-	3	2	1	217	275	-	23	19	-	-
North Carolina.....	-	1	-	1	118	307	3	54	42	-	2
South Carolina.....	-	5	2	3	50	56	5	50	40	-	1
Georgia.....	-	2	2	-	52	39	-	41	26	-	3
Florida.....	-	11	8	2	288	322	2	75	75	-	11
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...	-	43	27	11	1087	1188	7	117	116	1	12
Kentucky.....	-	16	10	1	384	524	6	53	42	-	1
Tennessee.....	-	11	6	5	402	404	1	34	38	1	5
Alabama.....	-	4	1	3	161	163	-	22	19	-	5
Mississippi.....	-	12	10	2	140	97	-	8	17	-	1
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...	1	50	33	16	1241	1232	9	234	163	1	12
Arkansas.....	-	2	2	-	175	131	-	12	10	-	4
Louisiana.....	-	4	3	1	206	261	2	127	80	-	2
Oklahoma.....	-	-	-	-	34	72	-	16	4	-	-
Texas.....	1	44	28	15	826	768	7	79	69	1	6
MOUNTAIN.....	-	40	14	5	865	1081	1	54	43	-	2
Montana.....	-	2	1	1	63	105	-	1	-	-	-
Idaho.....	-	8	-	-	144	97	-	7	1	-	-
Wyoming.....	-	1	1	-	30	37	-	2	3	-	-
Colorado.....	-	5	4	1	166	307	-	12	9	-	1
New Mexico.....	-	6	3	1	162	168	-	8	19	-	-
Arizona.....	-	11	-	-	170	233	1	16	3	-	1
Utah.....	-	7	5	2	125	98	-	6	2	-	-
Nevada.....	-	-	-	-	5	36	-	2	6	-	-
PACIFIC.....	1	134	62	68	2566	2607	15	294	242	2	9
Washington.....	-	20	6	11	216	274	1	22	19	-	-
Oregon.....	-	9	6	3	208	297	2	23	16	-	1
California.....	1	101	47	54	1994	1908	12	238	194	2	8
Alaska.....	-	4	3	-	132	78	-	6	6	-	-
Hawaii.....	-	-	-	-	16	50	-	5	7	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	18	14	4	457	359	-	3	23	1	14

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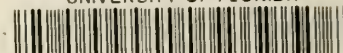
Area	Measles			Strept. Sore Th. & Scarlet Fev.	Tularemia		Typhoid Fever		Rabies in Animals	
	1965	Cumulative			1965	Cum. 1965	1965	Cum. 1965	1965	Cum. 1965
		1965	1964							
UNITED STATES...	8,944	181,837	310,969	7,678	5	67	11	123	95	1946
NEW ENGLAND.....	111	32,270	10,221	917	-	-	-	1	-	21
Maine.....	70	2,274	1,419	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Hampshire.....	5	350	169	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vermont.....	39	678	1,809	14	-	-	-	-	-	19
Massachusetts.....	457	17,633	2,918	140	-	-	-	1	-	1
Rhode Island.....	94	3,506	1,075	39	-	-	-	-	-	-
Connecticut.....	446	7,829	2,831	653	-	-	-	-	-	1
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	677	8,261	37,455	470	-	-	2	19	4	74
New York City.....	82	942	11,450	19	-	-	1	10	-	-
New York, up-State.....	121	2,350	8,294	339	-	-	1	6	3	69
New Jersey.....	106	1,437	8,963	56	-	-	-	2	-	-
Pennsylvania.....	368	3,532	8,748	56	-	-	-	1	1	5
EAST NORTH CENTRAL...	2,448	35,978	68,796	863	-	4	-	16	34	280
Ohio.....	374	7,044	13,612	158	-	-	-	4	24	147
Indiana.....	86	1,255	16,706	62	-	-	-	4	2	21
Illinois.....	122	1,534	12,245	189	-	3	-	3	3	51
Michigan.....	939	18,528	17,157	317	-	-	-	3	2	24
Wisconsin.....	927	7,617	9,076	137	-	1	-	2	3	37
WEST NORTH CENTRAL...	490	13,698	16,674	202	-	6	-	3	16	357
Minnesota.....	47	471	197	18	-	-	-	-	3	77
Iowa.....	130	7,492	12,045	73	-	-	-	-	6	108
Missouri.....	101	2,171	772	4	-	4	-	3	-	43
North Dakota.....	151	3,118	2,975	85	-	-	-	-	1	16
South Dakota.....	2	70	3	12	-	1	-	-	2	26
Nebraska.....	59	376	682	-	-	-	-	-	-	20
Kansas.....	NN	NN	NN	10	-	1	-	-	4	67
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	464	19,441	28,389	898	1	21	3	32	7	267
Delaware.....	16	429	282	37	-	-	-	3	-	-
Maryland.....	46	808	2,485	255	-	-	-	9	-	2
Dist. of Columbia..	7	38	334	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia.....	69	2,938	8,785	288	-	3	1	4	4	210
West Virginia.....	167	11,148	6,586	158	-	-	-	-	-	9
North Carolina.....	26	239	958	7	-	4	-	7	-	1
South Carolina.....	38	833	3,505	18	-	3	1	4	-	1
Georgia.....	-	538	141	2	1	11	1	2	2	21
Florida.....	95	2,470	5,313	131	-	-	-	2	1	23
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...	427	11,144	42,592	1,155	-	14	-	14	13	515
Kentucky.....	69	2,067	16,617	88	-	3	-	6	3	40
Tennessee.....	281	6,285	16,648	966	-	10	-	3	10	468
Alabama.....	32	1,895	3,074	29	-	1	-	2	-	7
Mississippi.....	45	897	6,253	72	-	-	-	3	-	-
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...	1,068	25,614	54,796	618	3	15	2	16	16	308
Arkansas.....	156	1,039	927	-	1	7	2	8	3	46
Louisiana.....	4	64	70	8	-	1	-	2	1	53
Oklahoma.....	2	138	728	26	1	4	-	1	2	58
Texas.....	906	24,373	53,071	584	1	3	-	5	10	151
MOUNTAIN.....	923	14,328	12,038	1,477	1	7	1	12	1	33
Montana.....	65	3,001	1,974	29	-	1	-	-	-	3
Idaho.....	112	1,974	1,333	118	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming.....	48	708	124	48	-	-	-	1	-	-
Colorado.....	372	3,782	2,103	676	-	-	-	-	-	1
New Mexico.....	2	508	226	185	-	-	-	7	-	6
Arizona.....	72	693	4,736	221	-	-	1	4	1	23
Utah.....	222	3,489	977	198	1	6	-	-	-	-
Nevada.....	30	173	565	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
PACIFIC.....	1,336	21,103	40,008	1,078	-	-	3	10	4	91
Washington.....	312	6,080	14,487	232	-	-	-	1	-	-
Oregon.....	63	2,578	4,556	17	-	-	-	1	-	2
California.....	794	9,842	19,770	791	-	-	3	7	4	88
Alaska.....	5	112	968	9	-	-	-	-	-	1
Hawaii.....	162	2,491	227	29	-	-	-	1	-	-
Puerto Rico	99	1,369	3,582	11	-	-	-	1	1	8

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(By place of occurrence and week of filing certificate. Excludes fetal deaths)

*Estimate - based on average percent of divisional total.



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The following information should be added to the list of Yellow Fever Vaccination Centers in Section 6:

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City: Urbana, Illinois
Center: University of Illinois Health Center
Clinic Hours: Wednesday, 11 a.m.
Fee: Yes

The World Health Organization Assembly has extended the validity of International Certificates of Vaccination or Revaccination against Yellow Fever from 6 to 10 years as of May 12, 1965. Certificates already issued are automatically extended 10 years from the date of vaccination or revaccination.

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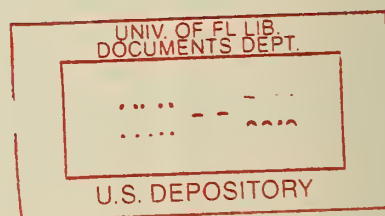
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